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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Menon et al.  
Serial No: 09/723,459  
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For: ANTI-AGING COSMETIC COMPOSITION AND METHOD  
OF APPLICATION

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AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 17, 2002, the period for response having been extended to August 17, 2002, please amend the above-identified application according to the following:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1, 3 to 9, and 22 to 27.

Please amend the following claims:

10. (Twice amended) A method of improving the aesthetic appearance of skin, comprising topically applying to the skin:

*[Signature]*